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Constitution.
Haggard-Haggard, Haggard allow me
to congratulate you.
Haggard-What for?
Haggard-Why, I was told that you
had married Miss Greenleaf during my
absence from the city.
Haggard-You have been under-
standing.

Haggard-And then I'm lost up
in the clouds and comprehend him.

CUPID TO THE RESCUE.

By Florence Wilkinson.

Miss Gail, in her school days, was
known for her fair hair and sparkling
her cheeks. All the world was
amused today, in the glorious air and
sun of one of New York's fall days.
She smiled merrily in greeting her
friend, Katherine Clement, who ap-
peared at the door, very much her
fate and face, her hands full of red
autumn leaves.

"I am always glad to see your
face," said Miss Gail, "it has never
been changed since the accident, has
it?"

"Never," replied Katherine, bitterly.
"together, the room and I stopped liv-
ing. You know, Katherine, I should
not be existing now if I had not heard
the doctor's verdict—that big speci-
alist, Dr. Von Humberg—'I don't at-
tempt to remember his name.'"

"What did he say, Katherine?"

"I overheard him tell someone that
there was no hope for me, and I re-
solved to live in defiance of Dr. Von
Humberg. It was my perversion, you
see, that saved me."

"If you would only let me bring
Dr. Von Humberg to see you!"

Miss Gail closed her eyes.

"I have no doubt he is a most
estimable gentleman," she replied,
"but excuse me from knowing any
more physicians."

"Ah, there he goes now!" ex-
claimed Katherine, suddenly pausing
the drapery of the window at which
she sat. "Hugo Parsonworth. How
well he drives! I like to see a man
like him handle the reins."

"Describe him," said Gail, her
face reflecting faintly the glow of
Katherine's features.

"Impossible, categorically. Massive
build, dark hair, dark eyes, dark
teeth, brown eyes, serious at night.
You and he should just get together
and there you would see. They say
he was all the rage in Paris when he
started there. You ask your father
to send for him."

Upon consultation with Mr. Gail,
Katherine decided that it would be
better for Dr. Parsonworth to meet
Gail at first unprejudiced, and
have a chance to study the case un-
hampered by the relationship of doc-
tor and patient.

In the seclusion of her chamber
Gail learned of the growing friend-
ship between her father and the
brilliant young physician, Dr. Par-
sonworth.

Her curiosity was finally piqued,
and on a certain afternoon she was
brought down to the library where she
sat in her wheel chair before the fire.

"Hello, I wish to present Dr.
Parsonworth," said her father, and
she looked up at a tall, brown-haired
man, whose eyes looked searching-
ly into her own.

What happens sometimes, but rarely,
happened with these two. In their
first long conversation they studied
the whole world of thought with light
exchanges of comment and easily
clipped hands on common ter-
ritory. When Dr. Parsonworth left,
they had already reached that stage
of acquaintance where looks are
exchanged with passages marked in
them by one, for the other's appre-
ciation.

Dr. Parsonworth called repeatedly
within the next few weeks, generally
having the pretext of some errand,
a book or a magazine for her or a com-
munication for her father. Acquaint-
ance often advances by means of
absence as much as through associa-
tion. Gail was led into the habit
of unconsciously storing up to tell
Dr. Parsonworth, sitting beside and in-
tending that had come to her since
their last meeting.

As the weeks went by Gail be-
came more absorbed in this new
friendship. Here was a man of in-
tellect who did not consider it com-
mon to exchange opinions with
her. And she was no longer a biter
whose friendship might be desirable
for a young physician. He was not
attracted by her beauty and high
spirits, as had been one in the past.

"You think me cold and philoso-
phic," she said to Katherine, after
one of his calls, "and you admire me
for it. Other people think me cold
and philosophic, and disapprove of me
for it. He takes my mind as he
would a man's. There is no sex in
mine."

"But there is the nature of those
and that nature is the same thing,"
answered the profoundly skeptical
Katherine.

As for Hugo Parsonworth, by the
repetition, the medical student, the
metaphysician, found himself more pro-
foundly moved than he would have
been to admit, by the case of Miss
Gail. He had been interested in
her from the first, then intellectually,
sympathetically. It had been his pur-
pose to become intimately interested
in Miss Gail. On the other hand, it
had been his purpose not to do so.
He was a man of conviction. He was
well aware that Miss Gail's recovery
under his attention, would mean for

only arranged in a low glass
which he placed on a table by
his side. The movement of his hands
was gentle, and Katherine
watched him with pleasure.

"I have been in the country,"

There had been an unusual softness
about Katherine's expression be-
fore he spoke, but at these simple
words of his her eyes became misty.

"And have brought you water-
melons almost as white and fragile as
yourself."

It was the first reference he had
made to her illness, and all at once
Katherine felt inexplicably happier. A
burden rolled off her mind as of a
question pending which has at last
been solved.

Katherine could scarcely have told of
what they talked that afternoon. His
speech was full of the spring-of the
green meadows he had seen, and the
smell of the germinating earth.

And when he was about to go, she
rouse herself as from a delicious
dream. He came and stood by her,
saying, as his brown eyes looked
down into hers: "I fear I have wear-
ed of these woods where I hope to take
you myself some day."

As he spoke, he laid his hand gen-
tly upon her hand, which rested, white
as if carved from ivory, upon the
arm of the chair.

"You will pardon me if for once
I am professional," he said, and his
tones were so tender that his touch
still felt like a caress. When he
had left, his touch seemed still pulsat-
ing through her blood; his presence
still filled the room when the last rays
of the May sun glided the drooping
leaves of the wisteria by her side.

As he strode along Central Park
through the fast increasing darkness,
Dr. Parsonworth was lost in deep
thought. He recalled her eyes, as
they had shone with violet depths, and
the whiteness of her forehead, when
he came toward her with the flower.
He named to himself the day when
he should tell her to walk and should
afterward write in his notebook:

"The experiment has ended suc-
cessfully." Through early experience
of his own he had been deeply con-
vinced of the importance of women's
attendants. He had also thought
himself proof against fancy or pas-
sion. He now made an entry under
the date, in his diary, a simple and
painful habit which he had never
abandoned. The entry was long and
of a scientific character. It was from
this time that her parents noted the
marked improvement in Gail, and
that his friends noted a change in
Hugo Parsonworth. "He is in love!"
they said.

He was called out of the city soon
on a consultation case, and was ab-
sent for a week. He wrote a letter
to Miss Gail. Printed between the
leaves of the sheet was enclosed a
yellow violet.

Meeting after absence has always
a deep significance for lovers, espe-
cially for those whose love yet lingers
in the bud and has not flowered out
into the perfect bloom of mutual
understanding. When Gail laid her
hand in Dr. Parsonworth's after his
week's absence, she felt in the at-
mosphere a tremulous stir. As for
Hugo there was a new light of deter-
mination in his eyes. He looked like
one who had served himself for a
struggle. He spoke of her let-
ter.

"It almost repaid me for the loss
of absence," he said, "to get
a written message from you."

"I do not feel that you were ab-
sent," she returned, "but with me
more than ever."

Before the week in his eyes his de-
termination was a real boom
of his soul through the western win-
dow straight toward her hair. Dr.
Parsonworth started to draw the shade.
Then he turned to Gail. "Come
with me to the window and see the
carnet across the hills and the river."

"What do you mean? I have not
been on my feet for a year."

"Do you know, Gail, that you
have been growing stronger every
day?"

Again her eyes were raised to his,
tender with candid surprise. He took
her hand, not as one who retreats but
compels. "Look on me and walk,"
he said.

She staggered in her feet, her spirit
staggered upward with the realization
of a belief in miracle. As she rose
in her feet Hugo's determination was
settled.

"It is too late now," he thought.
"I will start even at the end."

At the window, held in his arms,
her eyes blinded by the purple glory
of the spring, she heard these words
which completed in the briefest com-
pact all the tenderness for the best
of a loving woman.

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like it; second, from its general
healthfulness and further from the
many combinations in which it may
be used.

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with safety to cattle, sheep, swine and
horses at any age. This does not ap-
ply equally to other grain grown on
the farm. Oats may be splendid feed
on which to start young calves, lambs,
pigs and colts, when ground, and the
hulls sifted out. A little later it is not
necessary to sift out the hulls except
for young pigs and still later it is un-
necessary to grind the oats for calves,
lambs or colts. The same is true of
ground oats for milk cows and cattle
that are being fattened.

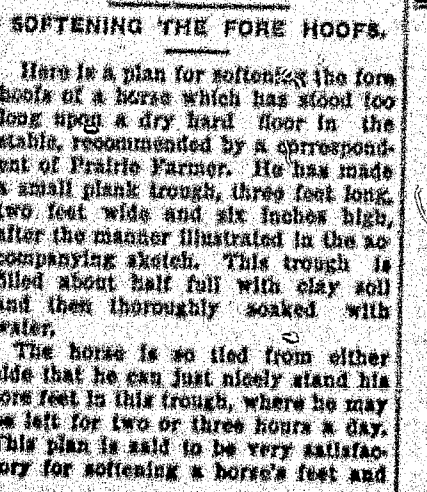
The only objection to feeding oats
is that of cost. This is not a real
good food for fattening swine but are
fine for brood sows with young pigs.
Oats are very healthy and no one ever
heard of them making an animal ill
when dried enough to keep safely in
bulk.

Oats may be fed in any combination
that may be desired. They make a
fine food for bringing cattle and sheep
up to full feed along with concen-
trated feeds and other grains such as
corn and barley. Even during the
later stages of fattening some ground
oats along with corn help greatly to
keep the animal on feed. It is unfor-
tunate that so valuable a food is not
more grown. The oat crop is usually
given the poorest land on the princi-
ple that it can fight its own way
better than other grains. The average
yield of oats would be much higher if
it were given an even chance with
other cereals.

SOFTENING THE FORE HOOF.

Here is a plan for softening the fore
hoofs of a horse which has stood too
long upon a dry hard floor in the
stable, recommended by a correspond-
ent of the Prairie Farmer. He has made
a small plank trough, three feet long,
two feet wide and six inches high,
after the manner illustrated in the ac-
companying sketch. This trough is
filled about half full with clay soil
and then thoroughly soaked with
water.

The horse is so tied from either
side that he can just nicely stand his
fore feet in this trough, where he may
be left for two or three hours a day.
This plan is said to be very satisfac-
tory for softening a horse's feet and



will greatly relieve a good horse
which has become tender in front.

At first, the correspondent says, a
horse may object to standing in the
trough, but as soon as he finds that
the trough will not hurt him and is
actually making his feet feel better,
the average horse will not make any
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years old, unless there may be some
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with fattening swine nor let them run
after cattle. They are likely to be-
come too fat to breed well.

Keep the pigs busy growing when
they are not busy eating, but watch
them closely and do not over feed.
Mix a meal once a week if they allow
feed to be untouched before then.

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If he hard work to get a horse up
and back after it has once run
down. Better to keep up than to get
up.

Intelligence of Horses.

The degree of intelligence in horses
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third Tuesday of April, in the year of
our Lord one thousand nine hundred
and seven. The following matter hav-
ing been presented for the notice there-
upon hereinafter indicated, it is hereby
ORDERED:

That notice thereof be given to all
persons interested, by causing a copy
of this order to be published three
weeks successively in the Bethel News
newspaper published at Bethel, in said
County, that they may appear at a
Probate Court to be held at said Paris,
on the third Tuesday of May, A. D.
1907, at 9 of the clock in the forenoon,
and be heard thereon if they see cause.

Francis H. Hodgson late of Rus-
sell; deceased; first account presented
for allowance by Albert Bailey, ad-
ministrator.

Robert A. Story late of Lincoln
Plantation; deceased; first account pre-
sented for allowance by Melvin David
Sturtevant, administrator.

Isa E. Grever late of Bethel, de-
ceased; will and petition for probate
thereof presented by Moses R. Grever,
the executor thereof named.

Helen J. Chandler of Powness, Col-
third account presented for allowance
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SOUTH PARK.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Barnes of Portland were guests at T. S. Barnes' Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Walter Pinsky of Greenwood visited her parents here, three days last week.

Rev. F. Grover of Portland has been visiting his sister, Mrs. G. C. Hobbs and family of Westbrook.

A. W. Hobbs and family of Westbrook, formerly of South Park, have been visiting friends here. Mr. Hobbs is employed as motorman on the electric road.

The base ball game which was scheduled to take place on Paris High School grounds at ten o'clock Saturday forenoon between Paris High and Lebanon Academy, was postponed until 1:30 p. m. Paris won the victory and the score was 12 to 5.

Fred Swan has moved his family to Elm Hill.

Miss Eunice W. Forbes, who teaches in Wakefield, Mass., has been spending the past week with her sister, Mrs. Walter Sweet.

Sara Sweet has returned from the hospital.

Helen Barnes observed her birthday with a party last Monday evening.

Mrs. Wallace Dyerson has returned from her visit to Mrs. Archie Cole, Mr. and Mrs. Cole, who have formerly been at Caledonia Springs, Ont., are now keeping house at Ottawa.

Henry E. Hammond, who was critically ill with pneumonia a few weeks ago, has recovered sufficiently so he will proclaim the opening of court at Sanford Falls.

Eugene H. Dorr, who has been in the store of W. L. Farrar for a number of years, has bargained for the store of Charles Stanley's Sons at Mexico, and will remove to that place as soon as possible.

L. S. Sessions will take care of the parks this summer. Some seats will be placed in Moore Park early in the season.

Carl S. Briggs has formed an orchestra composed of his pupils, who are sufficiently advanced. They met once a week and practice and are improving rapidly. They are assisted by Frank Pike on cello and Isabel Morton on piano. The pupils who compose the orchestra are Grace Dean, Alice Abbott, Elsie Millett, Charlotte DeCosta, Mr. Leavitt, Helen Bangs, Harold Moore, Willie Leavitt, Nathan Shaffer, Symeon Klein.

The following is the cast for "The Girls of 1776," which will be presented by the South Park Club for the benefit of the Paris Public Library on the 22nd and 23rd of May:

Mrs. Evelyn Mayfield, Miss Agnes Penfold, Miss Carrie Gray, Helen, her daughter, Miss Ruth L. Stearns, Barbara Steele, "Hittler Sweet," her niece, Miss Sue Wheeler, Dolly Darrah, Barbara's friend, Miss Iva L. McAville, "Grandmother" Mayfield, Mrs. Harry A. Morton, Honora Drake, a staunch loyalist, Miss Eva E. Walker, Anne Van Dresser, Mrs. Margaret Taylor, Jacqueline Valencier, Mrs. Edith H. Wheeler, Doty Ross, Mrs. Henrietta Barnes, Troubles, p. slave, Mrs. Wart Stanley, Minerva, pickaninny, Rose A. Murphy, Chlo, pickaninny, Ruby A. Clark, Dassy, pickaninny, Helen M. Barnes.

NORWAY.

Judge Wm. F. Jones was out of town on business a part of last week.

Mr. Chas. E. Dearborn has been suffering with the rheumatism for the past four months so he has been confined to the house. He is improving now.

It is reported that concerts will be held at Wetherell Park soon, the band stand having been repaired.

Mr. George A. Morse, who has been confined to the house for the past few months with a sprained knee, is getting better.

Ivory Seavey has moved from here to Paris.

Mrs. Sarah Bridges will take boarders in the George Austin rent where she has recently moved.

Mrs. Frank P. Farnce, who has been visiting in Massachusetts, has returned.

Wm. C. Leavitt has employment in Paris for C. B. Cummings & Sons.

The upstairs cot at the corner of Main and Bridge streets has been taken by Mr. and Mrs. Ned Cross.

A collar is being dug under the residence of J. P. Hudson on Oak Ave.

Mrs. J. P. Mulliken entertained her parents, who have spent the winter in Virginia, this week.

Clara Dagget has been confined to her house as the result of a sprain.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester O'Leary, who have been visiting Mr. O'Leary's parents, have returned.

The house owned by E. H. Noyes in building a play house for "The Noyes' daughter, Mildred. It is located on the corner of a recent street.

Mrs. Mary H. Hunt just escaped a serious calamity one day last week, having caught in the washbox in her house and was discovered just in time.

The tenth anniversary of the marriage of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Marston occurs May 15th. Quite a number of their neighbors and friends meet at their home to celebrate the occasion.

E. G. Walker has been working on the engine house. It has been cleaned and other work done, also the waisteoting has been varnished. It looks much better than before.

Mrs. A. D. Parmenter and little daughter, Marion, have been visiting in Rockland.

Louis Fogg has a miniature automobile. It is run by a spring and also by foot power.

Carl Harmon will take Leon Berry's place in the Camp Games club, Mr. Jerry having obtained employment in Auburn.

P. P. Stone has put in a new root beer tank at his refreshment table.

O. I. Gilbert has the new steam apparatus, which he has just been putting in his house, completed and ready for use.

The baccalaureate sermon at the Norway High School will be at the Universalist church.

Mr. Edward E. Spofford of Hopkinton, Mass., formerly of South Park, has bought J. H. Bass' farm on Allen Hill, Oxford, and will move on to it at once.

H. F. & E. E. Andrews sold a horse to Wm. A. Johnson, of Denmark, last week.

LOOKE MILLS.

Miss Ethel Sanborn of Bethel is visiting relatives and friends here.

Mr. W. L. Smith of Lexington, Mass., was in town last Monday on business.

Mr. M. Kinnough of Sumner has moved his family here and has employment in the wool mill.

The many friends of A. B. Sanborn hope to see him out soon after a severe attack of the gripple.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bartlett entertained the V. I. S. in their home last Thursday evening. The time was spent pleasantly at whist, three tables being filled. Miss Ethel Sanborn and Miss Vesta Woodis won first prizes.

Mr. P. A. Frost and Mrs. Walter Payne second. The next party will be held with Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Grant in two weeks.

About fourteen neighbors and friends of D. B. Grant's gave him a surprise party last Friday evening, it being his birthday. They were very cordially received and pleasantly entertained by the graphophone and whist. Delicious ice cream and cake were served.

BRYANT'S FOND.

Summer Sessions, a veteran of the Civil War, died at his home here on the morning of May 12th. He was about 67 years of age.

Mr. Sessions was a resident of Sumner, N. H., for many years, finally moving to Milton Plantation, where he resided until last fall when he bought the Alden Chase property and moved to our village. He served three years in the old 14th N. H. regiment, under Col. Robert Wilson of Keene. He leaves a wife and several children. The funeral was held on Tuesday at the Baptist church, the Grand Army attending in a body. Burial at Milton Plantation.

Henry Graham preached at the Baptist church Sunday, May 12th.

Rev. J. H. Little of South Paris will be present with A. M. Whitman Post on Memorial Sunday, May 26th. Services to be held at 3 p. m. in the Universalist church.

Francis E. Chase has accepted the position of foreman in the office of the Bethel Falls Times, in place of Robert O. Johnson, resigned.

Hon. John P. Conway will be the orator before A. M. Whitman Post Memorial Day. The Bryant's Pond Band will take part and several of the secret orders will attend the exercises in a body.

Mrs. D. H. Edwards of Auburn is visiting friends here.

NEWRY.

Anna Frost went to Newry last Thursday and returned Friday with a cow horse.

Miss Eva Cook from North Newry is visiting at A. E. Bailey's for a few days.

Stephen Gaudet and wife called at A. H. Powers' last Sunday.

Stories were told last Sunday afternoon at the church at the corner with a very good attendance.

M. R. Powers and W. L. Russell are going to Griffin for a few days' camping.

A. B. Frost sold a calf to J. M. Fairbank last week.

H. P. Thurston with his family are enjoying the evenings by a ride in his automobile.

THE STORE OF WHITE

One year ago we held a White Sale, which was a benefit to customers, as well as us. This year we are better prepared to carry on this sale.

It is the season when you are fitting up the house, and purchasing clothing, so it is an opportunity for all women to fit up for summer to advantage.

WASH FABRICS FOR WAIST AND DRESSES.

Regular customers know of the immense stock we have shown. There is no exception to the rule, unless it be that the assortment is larger than ever.

INDIA LINON 39 inches wide. 12 1-2, 15, 18, 20c.

PERSIAN LAWNS 32 inches wide. 20, 25, 37 1-2, 50c.

MERCERIZED LAWNS, 30 inches wide. 25 and 50c.

PURE LINENS 36 inches wide. 37 1-2, 50, 60, 75c.

54 inches wide. 75c.

LINEN FINISH 36 inches wide. 15c.

INDIAN HEAD 33 inches wide. 12 1-2c.

36 inches wide. 15c.

GALATEA AND DUCK 29 inches wide. 15c.

CROSS-BAR MUSLIN, the waist- ing that is so popular. 29 inches. 18 and 25c.

FANCY SEERSUCKERS 27 inches wide. 15, 18, 25c.

DOTTED MUSLIN 27 inches wide. 12 1-2, 15, 18, 25c.

Many other white goods. 12 1-2, 15, 18, 25c.

SILK MUSLINS, plain and dotted. 15, 25, 37 1-2, 50c.

MUSLIN UNDERWEAR. There is a great saving in this department. The goods are fresh and pretty.

SKIRTS of good cotton, 14 inch flounce with two clusters of hemstitched tucks with ruffle. 95c.

SKIRTS of good cotton, 20 inch flounce with 4 rows lace insertion trimmed with lace and fine tucks. \$1.25.

SKIRTS of Long cloth, 18 inch flounce with clusters of pin tucks and Oriental lace insertion and edging, very pretty. \$1.40.

SKIRTS of very fine cotton, 20 inch flounce with clusters of pin tucks and hemstitched tucks, edged with deep fancy ham- burg. \$1.98.

CORSET COVERS of good cotton, deep lace front and back with ribbon. 25c.

CORSET COVERS of fine cotton, with two rows wide Oriental lace insertion, beading with ribbon, edged with lace. 50c.

CORSET COVERS of Long cloth with three rows lace insertion, two rows fancy ham- burg, beading with ribbon, lace edging. 95c.

Don't miss seeing the \$1.25 and \$1.40 ones.

DRAWERS of good cotton, ruffle with hemstitched tucks, lace insertion, trimmed with lace and ham- burg. 25, 50, 98c.

NIGHT GOWNS of good cotton, yoke with hemstitched tucks and ham- burg insertion, hemstitched ruffle around neck and sleeves. 50c.

NIGHT GOWNS of fine cotton, yoke of cluster of fine tucks, trimmed with feather-stitched braid, V-shape neck of ham- burg, sleeves trimmed to cor- respond. 98c.

NIGHT GOWNS of extra good Long cloth, fancy yoke of ham- burg insertion with 1/4 inch rib- bon, neck and sleeves trimmed with fine ham- burg, special value. \$1.75.

LINENS.

Before the great rise in prices we prepared for this sale by purchasing direct from the importer. Here you will find a great saving for the Dining-room, Kitchen and Sleeping-room. Housekeeper take notice and advantage.

TABLE DAMASK of strictly pure linen, pretty patterns. .50, .59, 75, 87 1-2c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50.

NAPKINS of pure linen in large and small sizes, pretty pattern. \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$2, \$2.50, \$3.

TRAY CLOTHS, all sizes, pretty patterns. 15, 25, 37 1-2, 50c.

BLEACHED CRASHES of pure linen, with plain and fancy borders. 10, 12 1-2, 15c.

UNBLEACHED CRASH, pure linen. 6 1-2, 8, 10, 12 1-2, 14c.

BED SPREADS in full size, neat patterns. 59 and 70c.

BED SPREADS in the finer qual- ities, neat patterns, both plain and fringed. \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50, \$1.75, \$1.98, \$2.50, \$3.50.

SHEETS of excellent quality un- bleached, good size. 72 1-2c.

Bleached. 67 1-2, 75, 87 1-2c.

PILLOW CASES of good cotton 36x42 for 12 1-2, 15c.

39x42 at 25c.

LACE CURTAINS

Add much to the room at a slight expense. You can find a great assortment of qualities and designs at very reasonable prices.

WHITE LACE CURTAINS in different sizes for 62 1-2, 79c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.75, \$2.50, \$3.

BOBBINETT CURTAINS, very pretty. \$1.50, \$2, \$3.

MUSLIN CURTAINS in plain, striped and figured. 42 1-2, 50c, 87 1-2c, \$1, \$1.25, \$1.50.

WHITE GLOVES, BELTS AND NECKWEAR.

Will interest you if you wish to dress properly. Our great out- let for these goods, which our Specialty Store has created, en- ables us to show a great variety of the goods at prices that will please.

GLOVES, Hise 25c, mercerized and net Hise 50c, silk 50c.

GLOVES, long, Hise 87c, \$1.25, snude 87c, silk \$1, \$1.25, \$2.

BELTS, fancy embroidered with large buckle 25, 50c, white kid 25, 50c, silk 25, 50c, other white belts 10, 15, 25c.

WHITE HOSIERY.

Not the easiest thing to find in desirable textures and styles. We are perfectly stocked with the best plain and lace goods for ladies, misses and children.

LADIES' HOSE, lace 50, 25c, mercerized 37 1-2c, plain 25, 15c.

MISSSES AND CHILDREN'S HOSE, lace 25c, plain 10, 15, 25c.

WAISTS, WASH SKIRTS AND WHITE SUITS.

There is a great satisfaction in fine fitting, well finished clothing. This is what we are showing in this department. The goods are direct from the work-room, we can satisfy here.

WAISTS of Lawn with tucks, lace and ham- burg insertion and embroidery. The assortment is large. 95c to \$3.08.

WAISTS of Silk and Lingerie with tucks, lace insertion, \$2.49, \$2.08, \$3.98, \$4.98.

SKIRTS of Linen Finish with plaits at each seam, finished with tabs. \$1.40.

SKIRTS, Indian Head, 17 gore, welted seams, extra full, \$1.98.

SKIRTS of Linen Finish with three bias folds around bottom, 4 inches apart, good quality. \$2.50.

SKIRTS, Pure Linen with four graduated bias folds five inches apart, very pretty. \$3.08.

SHIRT WAIST SUITS of lawn, waist and skirt has lace and ham- burg insertion, handsomely trimmed. \$3.98, \$4.50, \$4.98.

CHILDREN'S DRESSES.

These are made very pretty, and at a price lower than you can make them yourself.

DRESSES of good cotton Nain- sook, lawn, handsomely trim- med, 1 to 4 yrs. 30, 42, 50, 98c, \$1.50, \$1.98, \$2.50.

DRESSES of white lawn, hand- somely trimmed, 6 to 14 yrs. \$1.75, \$2.98.

"50 YEARS THE LEADERS"



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Thomas Smiley,

NORWAY,

MAINE.

GILEAD.

Edna Wright went to Bethel last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Peabody and daughter visited his parents in Shel- borne Sunday.

The village school baseball team played against Hastings last week and the score was 22 to 17 in favor of Hast- ings. The Gilead boys put up a fine game, having only three men on their team, Raymond Morse pitcher, Earl Cohen catcher and Philip Wright 1st base.

Mr. Leon Wilder, who has been quite sick with the gripple, is able to be at work again.

Myra Foster is at home sick with the gripple.

The children are having an unusual- ly pleasant time with their May holi- days this year.

Mrs. Frank Coffin is so much im- proved that she was able to ride to Bethel and visit some friends there.

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The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

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THOSE GOLDEN LOCKS.

There had been a love-match pure and simple—in fact, they had eloped, and thirty years later they had proved obdurate. Therefore they had nothing to live on but love, and they grew thin on it. At last starvation stared them in the face.

"Oh, George," wailed the young wife, "what shall we do? I am so hungry!"

"Alas! I know not, darling!" he sighed, fondly but sadly toying with her luxuriant tresses.

"But I know, George," she suddenly exclaimed, after a pause. "I will sell my hair!"

"What!" he almost shouted. "Hark! Those golden locks for base dross? Have them cut off by a soulless barber! Never—never! I will starve first!"

"But George," she assured him, "they do not require cutting off. See!" And she detached the glistening three-guinea switch from her head and laid it in his hand.

That night the young couple supped luxuriously; but still he was not happy.

One Man's Theory.

A prospective tenant was interviewing the janitor of an apartment house—or was being interviewed by him.

"Are you a chess player?" asked the proprietor of the establishment.

"Why do you ask?" queried the other.

"The owner prefers to rent to chess players," explained the janitor, "because it is so seldom they move."—Chicago Daily News.

A Little Of The Same.

"You say you were in the saloon at the time of the assault referred to in the complaint?" questioned the lawyer.

"I was, sir," replied the witness.

"Did you take cognizance of the barkeeper at the time?"

"I don't know what he called it, sir, but I took what the rest did."—Milwaukee Sentinel.

Superior to All Obstacles.

"That Russian actor says he does not think Shakespeare was a great genius."

"Well," answered Mr. Stormington Barnes, "that doesn't prove anything except that neither geographic distance nor the lapse of time can prevent professional jealousy."—Washington Star.

With the Sterners.

Comedian—You should have heard Howland Haist bellow: "My kingdom for a horse!"

Sweet Singer—What happened?

Comedian—Why, the audience gave him the horse laugh and a bag of horse chestnuts. —Chicago Daily News.

One on the Panama.

Kiggins—Bacon, the astronomer, declares that Mars is a million years older than the earth.

Higgins—How can he prove it?

Kiggins—By showing that the inter-planetary cables in Mars have been completed.

Summer Resort Confidence.

Mrs. Klacker—I'm afraid my husband must be having a good time; he didn't send me any check.

Mrs. Decker—I'm afraid mine must be having a better time; he sent me without being asked. —N. Y. Sun.

The Muddled Reader.

I'd like to help to save the life of the poor old patient who must have been in the same time to spare and have to pay for many bills. —Chicago Record-Herald.

FEW GOOD MEERSCHAUMS HERE.

Americans Do Not Make or Keep Them Right, German Dealer Says.

"You don't see the best meerschaum pipes in this country," said a German pipe dealer who learned his trade in Vienna, to a Kansas City Star writer.

"Why? Because the Americans are in too big a hurry. Haven't time to take care of a meerschaum—haven't even time to learn how. When the American is through smoking he knocks his pipe on the heel of his shoe to remove the ashes, shoves it in the most handy pocket and is on the run."

"Now, in the old country, a man takes his pipe seriously—very seriously. He expects his meerschaum to last him a lifetime and then he is good ready to hand down to his heir. The pipe is passed from generation to generation and it is always handled as carefully as a newborn babe. The smoker never touches the bowl while it is warm—that would spoil the fine, glossy color. When the German has completed his serious and meditative smoke his pipe is laid very carefully away, where it will cool properly and without danger of scratching. He does not ram it into his pocket with other miscellaneous articles as the rushing American does. He takes his time and gives it his care and attention."

The best meerschaum pipes in the old country are made of soft meerschaum and are hand carved. Then they are polished in beeswax. The fine color is produced by the wax and nicotine combining. When the pipe is smoked the wax softens from the heat. That is why the pipe should not be touched while warm. Touching mars the gloss.

The American manufacturer does not carve or polish them by hand. The work is done by machines. The soft meerschaum, if treated that way, would break, so hard meerschaum, a low grade, is used. The hard clay will not absorb beeswax, so it is laid in glycerin. The most beautiful colors cannot be produced with glycerin.

Farming on the Yukon.

W. M. Swinehart has compiled for publication the results of his experience in farming at Fort Selkirk, and shows that, taking one season with another, the crops raised and the prices received for the product are sufficient to cause the average farmer in the states to look to the north with envy, says the Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

Out hay, the chief crop produced, yields about three tons to the acre and sells readily in the spring at from \$100 to \$125 per ton. Demand has never been lacking for all the hay the farm produces, since the Dawson-White Horse stage line, on which from 250 to 400 horses are used every winter for several months, passes within a few miles of the farm. Potatoes yield from three to five tons to the acre and bring as much as 25 cents a pound. The average price for a series of years has been a fraction over 25 cents.

Forest's Rapid Growth.

London has purchased Helmsall Forest for a new park. In 1887 about 100,000 trees were tallied here, but there is a new growth of 30,000.

Record for Anchors.

The largest anchor ever made weighed 25,000 pounds, and cost nearly \$10,000.

England's One Thatched Church.

The only thatched church in the United Kingdom is at Marley, a little village three miles from Alford, Essex.

SOME EXPERIMENTAL ROADS.

What is Being Done in Illinois by the Highway Commission.

The Illinois State Highway commission is pushing as rapidly as possible the construction of a number of experimental roads. In various sections of the state. There has been much delay in getting this work started, owing to the negotiations it was necessary to take up with the various railroads for the right to begin at some place and to be delayed at others.

One stretch of road has been completed at Salem, Ill. This road is situated in Salem township, just outside the limits of the city of Salem. The highway commissioners of Salem township applied for broken stone, which was furnished them, and a piece of road built by the local commissioners; owing to the lack of proper methods, the road thus laid was poorly made, says the Farmers' Review. The state highway commission completed about 2,200 feet of the work with the aid of a steam roller and modern methods of construction, making a smooth and fine appearing piece of road as can be found anywhere.

The width of the macadam is about 14 feet and put on eight inches deep; part of the work was resurfacing the road laid by the local commissioners, at the end of which was about 500 feet of newly constructed road. The exact cost of this work cannot be ascertained, owing to lack of records on the work done prior to that under charge of the state highway commission. The estimated cost of this work per mile, including grading and shaping the subgrade, hauling the stone a distance of about a mile and a quarter, spreading and rolling, is about \$2,500. The material was furnished free by the state from the state stock crushed at the Southern Illinois penitentiary at Menard. The freight on the stone over the Illinois Southern railroad was paid in ballast.

The contract between the portion of road built with the steam roller and that upon which the roller was not used, furnished a most striking illustration of the importance of proper equipment and technical experience in highway construction.

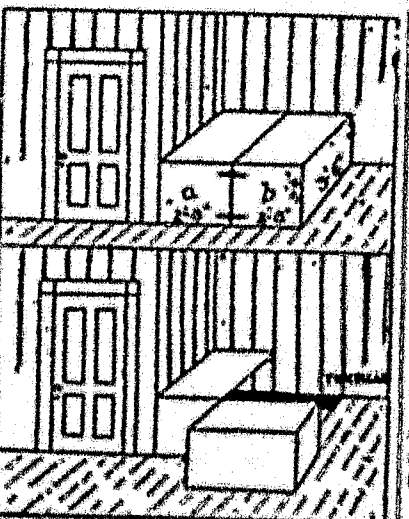
The improved piece of road is attracting a great deal of attention locally, and the travel over other routes in the vicinity is almost entirely diverted to the new road, in spite of the fact that the distance is thus increased.

There is another interesting piece of road work in the vicinity of Salem, which has been carried on through the efforts of Mr. John H. Greene, who for the past six years has dragged and kept in excellent condition one mile of road near his farm. During the past winter it is said that the Greene road was the best piece of road in the county. This piece of road has been kept in better condition than the average road in the county for less money than was spent on other roads where a grader and four to six horses are used. It is an interesting fact that Mr. Greene has been using oil and on for the past 15 years, a road grader very similar to what is known as the "Split Log Drag" and has done much to interest the people generally in this work, and recommends its general adoption for the maintenance of earth roads.

HIDING A CELLAR DOOR.

By Arrangement of Boxes It Can Be Done Very Easily.

My cellar is situated just under the kitchen and for a long time we wanted a door that would not be unsightly and in the way, writes a correspondent of the Farm and Home. Finally we constructed an arrangement shown in cut. A heavy frame



Cover for Cellar Door.

work was built of oak and stained covered with matched board. The two parts, a and b, are the same size and shape, and are made of heavy angles. The top of this is used as a table, except when it is desired to go into the cellar, when part b is drawn aside, exposing the cellar stairs.

A USEFUL DEVICE.

King with Legs on It for Holding Kettle Over Fire.

A very useful device is a ring with legs on it like that shown in the cut. It is supported as from a kettle when used out of doors for heating water. Place the band on the handle of the kettle as shown, so that it will not tip over, and you will find it a great convenience when boiling the fire.



NO OVERCOATS IN ALASKA.

Army Officer Says It Is Not Safe to Wear Them There.

"You do not find anyone wearing overcoats in Alaska, even in the winter," said Maj. F. M. Beall, recently returned from that territory. "The principal thing to be careful about is keeping the head, hands and feet warm. In that part of Alaska where I have been the only land transportation is by dog sleds and to follow them one has to drop into a dog trot beside the sled."

"An ordinary suit is plenty thick enough to keep you warm and as overcoats are dangerous in that temperate zone. Trying to keep a sled wearing an overcoat would make you perspire and the latter could would freeze the perspiration."

"The men there wear a fur cap that covers every part of the head and face except the eyes and there is only a little peep-hole for them. Wool-lined mitts are worn on the hands and moccasins with woolen stockings on the feet."

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NO EVIDENCE OF AUTHORITY.

Officer's Voice Lacked Quality That Imposed Obedience.

The late General Shafter was accustomed to tell of a most remarkable incident during the Cuban campaign. Near Siboney, one night after a march, it chanced a few of the "boys" of a Tennessee company had pitched their tents in close proximity to the tent of an officer of another company. The "boys" were somewhat noisy, as they had not been sleeping. "Shut up out there!" shouted the officer, angrily.

"Who are you?" asked one of the "boys."

"I'll soon show you if I come out there!" was the response.

The "boys," however, continued their racket to such an extent that the irritated officer soon appeared upon the scene and read them a terrible lecture, winding up with the threat to report the men to their colonel. "Don't you men know enough to obey a superior officer?" demanded he, lastly.

"Yes, sir," respectfully answered one of the men. "We should have obeyed you at once if you'd had shoulder straps on your voice."

Spices and Indigestion.

Although the use of spices for the purpose of heightening the flavor of food is almost universal, it is generally recognized that their influence on digestion is detrimental. Some experiments recently carried out tend to prove that while spices stimulate the motor functions of the stomach, they progressively impair the secretory functions, and in the long run inhibit the production of hydrochloric acid.

On the whole, therefore, the ingestion of spices hinders rather than accelerates digestion, though an exception may be made in respect of persons in whom slowness of digestion is due to a deficiency of muscular activity on the part of the stomach, and also possibly of the victims of hyperacidity.

Deacons Paid the Bill.

A story is told about two oldtimers of Barnet, Vt., one, Sol Stevens, the village saddler and harness maker, the other, James Gilbrailh, a Scotchman who lived on a farm back among the hills.

The deacon had brought his saddle to Sol to have it repaired, and upon going to get it found that the charges for putting it in shape amounted to four dollars. The deacon was surprised at the amount, and after considering the matter a few minutes he said:

"Well, Sol, you may keep the saddle for two dollars, and I'll give him and bring ye two bushel o' wheat or the like twa."

Pulsations of a Watch.

The lifetime of a good watch is 50 years. In its daily duties the balance vibrates 15,000 times every hour, 32,000 times in a day, or 15,000,000 times a year, says American Watch.

The hairspring makes a similar number of vibrations, and an equal number of ticks from the escapement. If it is a really good watch multiply 157, 500 by 50, which gives 7,875,000, 500 pulsations for 50 years. The chances are that the watch may even then be in serviceable condition.

Running Upstairs.

English women have taken up a pastime running up and down stairs, the object being principally to see who can get up the most rapidly and make the most noise! In view of the fact that running upstairs has hitherto been considered as bad for the heart, it is rather a revelation to society, although, no doubt, the violent exercise is good for the liver.

The question is: What next? Will sliding down the banister be advocated as a new method of utilizing the parallel bars?

WIT AND WISDOM.

Hardened.

Mrs. Keyson—Were't you frightened when the bull bellowed at you because of your new red costume?

Mrs. Pason—No; you are my husband went on just the same when he got the bill.

Artists have no trouble in securing models. The famous beauties have discarded corsets and have become models in face and form since taking Hollister's Rocky Mountain tea. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. W. E. Besserman.

Then They Went Off.

"It strikes me that you are loaded," said the pistol to the double-barrel shotgun.

"Oh, not quite," replied the latter, "I'm only half-shot."

Whereupon they both exploded with laughter. —Chicago Daily News.

"Here's to your health and happiness!"—DeWitt's Little Early Risers—famous little pills. Nasty, sick headaches or biliousness may come on any time; the cure is an Early Riser. Sold by W. E. Besserman.

Know Better.

"There's no changing a leopard's spots," remarked the visitor at the zoo.

"Oh, yes there is," said the keeper. "I saw a lion fighting with one once, and he knocked the spots clean out of him." —Detroit Free Press.

It's too bad to see people who go from day to day suffering from physical weakness when Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea would make them well. The greatest tonic known. 35 cents, Tea or Tablets. W. E. Besserman.

Married For Money.

"Here is an interesting item about a man who has married 1,400 times."

"Giracious! He must be some eastern potentate!"

"No, the item says he is an Indiana justice of the peace." —Houston Post.

DeWitt's (Anchored) Witch Hazel Salve does not merely heal on the surface; it penetrates the pores and promptly relieves pain, caused by boils, burns, scalds, cuts and skin diseases. It is especially good for piles. Beware of imitations. Sold by W. E. Besserman.

Hard to Believe.

"I think Higley is one of the politest men I ever met."

"I'm listening."

"He always, thanks the telephone girl when she tells him the line is busy." —Milwaukee Sentinel.

Of all the fruits there are in the land, that grow on bush or tree, I would give up the choicest ones For Hollister's Rocky Mountain Tea. W. E. Besserman.

When Loves Does Fly.

"Loves," remarked the sentimental maid, "makes time fly."

"It does during courtship," rejoined the young widow, "but after the parson has said his say, time begins to make love fly." —Daily News.

When your back aches it is almost invariably an indication that something is wrong with your kidneys. Weak, diseased kidneys frequently cause a break down of the entire system. DeWitt's Kidney and Bladder Pills afford prompt relief for weak kidneys, backache, inflammation of the bladder and all urinary troubles. Sold by W. E. Besserman.

Why She Suffered.

"Yes, she is a woman who has suffered a great deal because of her belief."

"Indeed! And what is her belief?"

"That she can wear a No. 3 shoe on a No. 6 foot." —Royal Magazine.

Fortunate Missourians.

"When I was a druggist, at Livonia, Mo.," writes T. J. Dryer, now of Grayville, Mo., "three of my customers were permanently cured of consumption by Dr. King's New Discovery, and are well and strong to day. One was trying to sell his property and move to Arizona, but after using New Discovery a short time he found it unnecessary to do so. I regard Dr. King's New Discovery as the most wonderful medicine in existence. It cures Cough and Cold, Croup and Whooping Cough, and Lung Fever. Guaranteed by W. E. Besserman, Druggist. 35c and \$1. Trial bottle free.

Too Much of a Good Thing.

"You're not so stiff with that youngster of yours as you used to be," said Poppley's friend.

"No; for economy's sake I'm not," replied Poppley. "Every month I used to have to buy myself a new pair of slippers and him a new pair of pants."

Free Samples of "Preventives" and a booklet on colds will be gladly mailed you, on request, by Dr. Shoop, Racine, Wis., simply to prove merit. Preventives are Little Candy Cold Cure tablets. No Quinine, no Laxatives, nothing harmful whatever. Preventives prevent colds—as the name implies—when taken early, or at the "Sneezing Stage." For a sealed cold or La Grippe, break it up safely and quickly with Preventives. Sold by W. E. Besserman.

Just a Gentleman.

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"Aw," replied Cholly, wearily, "I don't even do that. My man attends to everything, you know."

Not Positive.

He—Are you fond of Chopin, Miss Fangleit?

She—Yes, I enjoy it as a rule; but the shops are fearfully overcrowded just now.

Bilious? Feel heavy after dinner? Tongue coated? Bitter taste? Complained yellow? Liver needs waking up. Doan's Regulets cure bilious attacks. 25 cents at any drug store.

As Evidence.

Employer—Have you had any experience as chauffeur?

Applicant—Well, I can show you receipts for all the flies I have paid.

Deaths from Appendicitis decrease in the same ratio that the use of Dr. King's New Life Pills increase. They save you from danger and bring quick and painless release from constipation and the ill growing out of it. Strength and vigor always follow their use. Guaranteed by W. E. Besserman, Druggist. 25c. Try them.

Pride and Poverty.

"I'd be ashamed to go around begging," said the prosperous citizen.

"Takes all kinds of people to make a world," replied the hobo. "Here you is too proud to beg, an' I'm too proud to work."

Piles get quick and certain relief from Dr. Shoop's Magic Ointment. Please note it is made alone for Piles, and its action is positive and certain. Itching, painful, protruding or blind disappear like magic by its use. Large nickel-capped glass jar 50 cents. Sold by H. S. Pushard, Bethel.

Too Well Potted.

Jinks—How did you come to lose so much money on the races?

Winks—Well, too many tips before I started. —N. Y. Weekly.

A Mountain of Gold.

could not bring as much happiness to Mrs. Lucia Wilke, of Astoria, Wis., as did one 25c box of Bucklin's Arnica Salve, when it completely cured a running sore on her leg, which has tortured her 23 long years. Greatest antiseptic healer of Piles, Wounds, and Sores. 25c at W. E. Besserman's Drug Store.

In the Spring.

To Bess I got open my knees— 'Twas spring; My diaphragm in one big sneeze Took wing. From my sails it seemed to take The wind, As Bess cried, "For goodness sake!" And grinned.

Cascasweet for babies is the best remedy for colic, summer complaint, diarrhoea and sour stomach. It is especially good in cases of teething when irritation affects the stomach and intestines. Cascasweet is a pleasant, safe remedy, containing neither opiates nor narcotics; all the ingredients are printed plainly on the wrapper. Endorsed by mothers because it acts so quickly. Sold by W. E. Besserman.

Mid of Him.

Miss Koy—Yes, I accepted Percy Vero last night.

Miss Chellus—Really? I'm so glad.

Miss Koy—Really? He used to call on you, didn't he?

Miss Chellus—Yes, and now, of course, he won't bother me any more.

When your food has not been properly digested the entire system is impaired in the same proportion. Your stomach needs help. Kodol For Indigestion and Dyspepsia not only digests what you eat, it tones the stomach and adds strength to the whole body. Makes rich, pure blood. Kodol conforms to the National Pure Food and Drug Law. Sold by W. E. Besserman.

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